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USDA RURAL DEVELOPMENT FUNDING ASSISTS ELDERLY HOUSING COMPLEX

Alton, Texas, October 23, 2003--Bryan Daniel, State Director, Texas USDA Rural Development today announced funding in the amount of \$1,000,000.00 for a new elderly housing complex located in Alton, Texas. The complex will house 30 low-income elderly residents in 26 one-bedroom units and 4 two-bedroom units. USDA Rural Development is the federal mission area in charge of developing rural communities by administering programs designed to strengthen the economy and infrastructure or rural areas.

"This is an exciting day for everyone involved in this project," said Daniel. "Residents of the Los Naranjos Apartments complex will have a decent, safe, and sanitary place to live that includes an on-site manager, laundry room and community center."

Dennis J. Hoover of Hamilton Valley Management will be the management agent for this complex.

For more information regarding USDA Rural Development programs, contact the Edinburg Local Service Center at (956) 383-4928, Extension 4.

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The USDA Rural Development mission area was created in 1994 and includes the Rural Business-Cooperative Service, the Rural Housing Service, and the Rural Utilities Service. Its mission is to use the resources of USDA to provide an improved quality of life for the nation's 53 million rural people.

For more information on USDA Rural Development programs in Texas, check our web site at <http://www.rurdev.usda.gov/tx/>.

